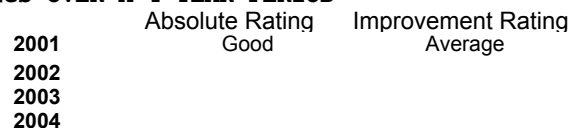


**ABSOLUTE RATING:** Good  
**IMPROVEMENT RATING:** Average

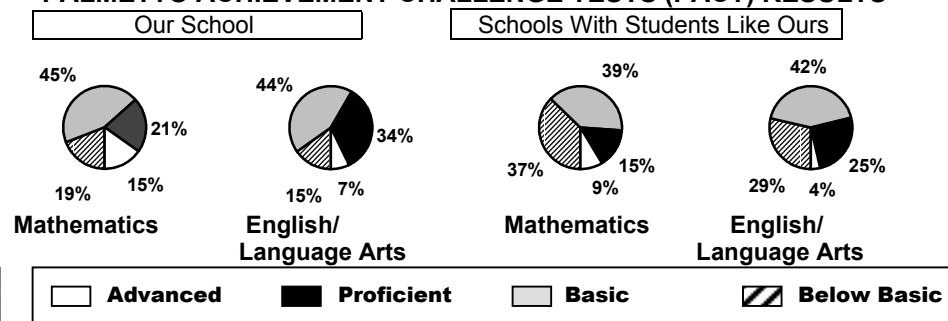
Number of middle schools with students similar to ours: 57. The absolute ratings for those schools ranged from below average to good. For the improvement ratings, the range was from unsatisfactory to average.

#### RATINGS OVER A 4-YEAR PERIOD



(Definitions of School Rating Terms on Page 4)

#### PALMETTO ACHIEVEMENT CHALLENGE TESTS (PACT) RESULTS



#### DEFINITIONS OF CRITICAL TERMS:

- **Advanced** – Student performance exceeded expectations.
- **Proficient** – Student performance met expectations.
- **Basic** – Student performance met minimum performance expectations.
- **Below Basic** – Student performance did not meet minimum performance expectations.

Science scores are to be reported on 2004 School Report Cards. Social studies scores are to be reported on 2005 School Report Cards.

#### PERCENT OF STUDENTS SCORING BASIC OR ABOVE ON THE PACT

Student Group	English/ Language Arts	Math	Science	Social Studies
<b>All students (n=468)</b>	84.6%	80.8%	N/A	N/A
Students with disabilities other than Speech (n=30)	56.7%	50%		
Students without disabilities (n=438)	86.5%	82.9%		
<b>Gender</b>				
Male (n=224)	82.6%	81.7%		
Female (n=244)	86.5%	79.9%		
<b>Ethnic Group</b>				
African American (n=108)	69.4%	60.2%		
Hispanic (n=11)	N/A	N/A		
White (n=344)	90.1%	88.4%		
Other (n=5)	N/A	N/A		
<b>Lunch Status Group</b>				
Free/reduced-price Lunch (n=171)	74.3%	67.8%		
Pay for lunch (n=297)	90.6%	88.2%		

#### SCHOOL PROFILE INDICATORS OF SCHOOL PERFORMANCE

	Our School	Change From Last Year	Schools with Students like ours	Median Middle School
<b>SCHOOL</b>				
• Dollars spent per student	\$3,924	N/A	\$5,118	\$5,127
• Prime instructional time	91.7%	Up from 90.2%	89.9%	89.6%
• Student-teacher ratio	24.1 to 1	N/A	21.4 to 1	21.4 to 1
<b>in core subjects</b>				
<b>STUDENTS (n=520)</b>				
• Attendance rate	95.9%	Up from 95%	95.7%	95.7%
• Students with disabilities other than speech taking PACT (ELA) off grade level	0.4%	N/A	2.9%	4.5%
• Students with disabilities other than speech taking PACT (math) off grade level	0.4%	N/A	3.1%	4.0%
• Retention rate	4.5%	Down from 7.6%	4.1%	4.5%
<b>TEACHERS (n=33)</b>				
• Professional Development days per teacher	8.2 Days	Up from 6.6	8 Days	8.0 Days
• Attendance Rate	96.6%	Up from 96%	95.5%	95.2%
• Teachers with advanced degrees	48.5%	Down from 61.5%	46.8%	45.8%
• Continuing contract teachers	75.8%	Down from 92.6%	82.5%	80.8%
• Teachers with out-of-field permits	6.1%	Up from 0%	2.4%	2.4%
• Teachers returning from the previous school year	85.5%	Down from 87.2%	86.4%	83.7%
• Average teacher salary	\$39,503	Down 0.0%	\$38,122	\$37,455

#### SCHOOL FACTS

	Our School	Change From Last Year	Schools with Students like ours	Median Middle School
<b>SCHOOL</b>				
• Dropout rate	0%	N/A	0%	0.0%
• Percentage of expenditures spent on teacher salaries	64.1%	N/A	61.1%	61.5%
• Principal's years at the school	2	N/A	3	3.0
• Parents attending conferences	82.8%	N/A	81.2%	78.2%
• Opportunities in the arts	Good	N/A	Good	Good
<b>STUDENTS</b>				
• On academic plans	47%	Up from 34.5%	41.5%	45.8%
• On academic probation	0%	N/A	0%	0.0%
• Older than usual for grade	6.5%	Down from 6.8%	3.9%	4.5%
• Suspended or expelled	10	N/A	20	15
• Enrolled in high school credit courses	19.5%	N/A	14.8%	13.2%
• Gifted and talented	20%	Up from 18.2%	15.2%	12.1%
• With disabilities other than speech	8.2%	Up from 5.1%	14.2%	13.6%



## PRINCIPAL'S / SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL REPORT

Hanahan Middle School had an outstanding year. The School Improvement Council, administrators, teachers, and parents continue to stress academic achievement. Learning is the chief priority at HMS, as reflected by our PACT scores. Our students' academic achievements continue to be among the best in the state. Some of our many accomplishments include:

- \* Highest middle school PACT-2000 scores in Berkeley County;
- \* 17 winners in PTA Reflections contest;
- \* Individual and Team Quest Competition winners;
- \* S.C. Band Directors' Assoc. Outstanding Performance Award (17 years straight)
- \* 13 Jr. Scholars; eight Duke Tip Award recipients;
- \* Lieutenant Governor's Award for Expository Writing;
- \* 100% student participation in Service Learning projects.

HMS offered Spanish as an exploratory class and 8th grade Honors English for high school credit. We doubled the number of students taking Algebra I in the 8th grade. Professional Development for our teachers provided training in Thinking Maps, 6+1 Writing Traits, Cunningham 4-Block Literacy Model, Soar to Success, 6th grade Connected Math, and Second Step Peer Mediation.

We have continued to increase technology, adding a writing lab with 30 computers. Every classroom is computer-equipped and \$8,000 in new library/media technology was added. We also piloted an iPAQ program featuring wireless hand-held computers.

Our partnership with SPAWAR has provided a "lunch buddy" mentoring program and additional tutoring for students with academic needs. In addition, our A-Star after-school tutoring program and LEAP summer school continue to provide additional academic assistance to over 100 students.

With a staff that includes Carolyn Stewart, Past District Teacher of the Year and Teacher Forum Chair, and Laurie Stafford, National Board Certified Teacher and 2001 Berkeley County Reading Teacher of the Year, "excellence" and "dedication" are our standards.

This year we are looking forward to adding Spanish I for high school credit, piloting a STEMS in Latin program, and breaking ground on our new facility.

Robin Rogers, Principal

## EVALUATIONS BY TEACHERS AND STUDENTS

Percent	Teachers	Students	Parents
Satisfied with learning environment	100.0	63.8	(Avail. 2002)
Satisfied with social and physical environment	97.1	65.5	
Satisfied with home-school relations	91.4	82.4	

## DEFINITIONS OF SCHOOL RATING TERMS

**Excellent** – School performance substantially exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

**Good** – School performance exceeds the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

**Average** – School performance meets the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

**Below Average** – School is in jeopardy of not meeting the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

**Unsatisfactory** – School performance fails to meet the standards for progress toward the 2010 SC Performance Goal.

Hanahan Middle  
5815 Murray Drive  
Hanahan, SC 29406-2898

Grades 6-8 Middle School

Enrollment: 520 Students

## Principal

Mr. Robin Rogers 843-820-3800

## Superintendent

Dr. J. Chester Floyd 843-899-8601

## Board Chair

Ms. Carolyn Lewis 843-899-8602



## THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Annual School  
Report Card

2001

School Grade:  
Good



## South Carolina Performance Goal:

By 2010, South Carolina's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the five fastest improving systems in the country.

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